

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Darryl W. Peters, et al.

Serial No.: 09/881,552

Examiner: Webb, G. E.

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Docket No.: 5709

Art Unit: 1751

Title: AQUEOUS BUFFERED FLUORIDE CONTAINING ETCH RESIDUE

REMOVER AND CLEANER

## Response

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

The following is a response to the Official Office Action dated December 6, 2002. Contained herein is a request for a three-month extension of time by which the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set forth under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) in the amount of \$930.00 to Deposit Account No. 01-2530.

Additional enclosures include excerpts from:

<u>Chemistry – A Conceptual Approach</u>, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed., Charles E Mortimer, pp 561-564.

Encyclopedia of Chemical Technology, Kirk and Othmer, eds., Vol. 7, pp 712-714.

## Remarks

No new matter has been added to the application. Reexamination and reconsideration of the claims is requested. Allowance of claims 1-15 is earnestly solicited.